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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

IN THE MATTER OF

:

PRISCILLANO V. PARILLA, M.D.
LICENSE NO.: MA26212

Administrative Action

ORDER

TO PRACTICE MEDICINE AND SURGERY
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

This matter was recently opened to the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners ("Board") upon receipt of a petition from Priscillano V. Parilla, M.D., ("Respondent") seeking the removal of the restrictions and conditions of the Interim Consent Order filed on July 9, 1991.

By way of background, Respondent entered into an Interim Consent Order, which contained a preclusion from prescribing or dispensing and storing any Controlled Dangerous Substances ("CDS") in his office and in all settings of his medical practice except when prescribing CDS for his patients residing in nursing homes.

On October 22, 2003, Respondent appeared before the Preliminary Evaluation Committee of the Board accompanied by David I. Canavan, M.D., Medical Director Emeritus of the Physicians' Health Program of the Medical Society of New Jersey ("PHP") to petition for the removal of the July 9, 1999 Interim Order. Respondent testified that his current medical

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practice is small and has been significantly limited due to his inability to prescribe any level of CDS except for his patients who reside in nursing homes. Respondent further testified that he no longer can obtain a limited Drug Enforcement Agency ("DEA") registration under the new DEA rule notwithstanding the Board Order.

Dr. Canavan testified that Respondent has demonstrated a drug-free life for more than twelve years and has fully complied with the Board Order. Dr. Canavan also testified that Respondent has been faithfully participating in the PHP program with face to face visits and random urine monitoring in keeping with the duration of his recovery.

The Board considered Respondent's testimony and his compliance with the Board Order and determined the within disposition to be adequately protective of the public health, safety and welfare,

IT IS, therefore, on this 12th day of February, 2004,

ORDERED THAT:

1. The restriction placed on the CDS prescribing privileges of Respondent, Priscillano V. Parilla, M.D., are hereby dissolved and Respondent is granted an unrestricted license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of New Jersey.

STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

By:


David Wallace, M.D.
President